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RE: Starr v. Massachusetts Financial Services Co.  
03-CV-12595

Dear Mr. Matthews:

I hereby accept service of the class action complaint entitled *Zachary Alan Starr, derivatively on behalf of the Massachusetts Investors' Trust and the Massachusetts Investors' Growth Stock Fund vs. Massachusetts Financial Services Co., et al.*, 03-CV-12595, on behalf of defendant Kevin R. Parke. As set forth in your March 5, 2004 letter, the time to answer or otherwise respond to this action will be determined by a Case Management Order entered by the multi-district litigation court in the District of Maryland.

Very truly yours,

  
George J. Skelly

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